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Via ECFS  
Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12th Street, S.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to  
47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1**

Dear FCC,

I have just heard about what is going on with the deregulation to internet service providers. I have to say I do not approve of the measure where Big service providers like AT&T can control the amount I will have to pay for my internet service because they have no competition. I have used AT&T in the past before I was introduced to Gorgenet, They were expensive to use and the price kept going up and I had no choice but to go along with them. I found Gorgenet and have always been pleased with their service and price. I remember having to limit my use of the internet because the cost to do business with AT&T or AOL would go up in per portion as I used the internet. The more time I spent on line the more it cost per minute. I use my internet a lot, The web is full of information about anything you want to find out about, I read and study the Bible on line, I can research and reference different books and information as long as I want and it does not cost any more because of the time I spend on line. I need to be able to find a service provider that I can afford , not be limited to my choice and be under their thumb . I remember having a corded telephone and any long distance calls was very expensive like 10 cents a minute. I had no choice but to pay or not to use long distance calling. Now I can pay my phone bill and I know how much it will cost every month. I can call and use my phone to call my mother or anyone I want and the price does not change. I love have a choice and a option to use what ever carrier or provider I chose. Please do not force people to return back in time where the big carrier or providers can charge what they want and you have no choice but to pay or do without.

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